GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA

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ESTABLISHMENT OF MEGA THERMAL POWER STATION
MADAN PRASAD JAISWAL

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to establish Mega Thermal Power Station in Bihar;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government have made any efforts in this regard; and

(d) if so, the outcome thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) to (d) : Yes, Sir. It is proposed to set up two mega power projects by National Thermal Power Corporation viz., Kahalgaon Super Thermal Power Project Stage-II (2x500 MW in phase I and 1x500 MW in phase II) in Bhagalpur district and Barh Super Thermal Power Project (3x660 MW) in Patna district of Bihar. Various clearances like Techno-Economic Clearance, environmental clearance etc., are obtained/being obtained for these projects.